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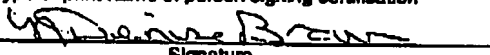
In response to the final Office Action dated July 16, 2007, Applicants respectfully request that the application be reconsidered in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**A Listing of the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks and Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.

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